

Appl. No. 08/932,784
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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 9 and 23 as follows. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A digital motion picture recorder, comprising:
 - a housing sized to be portable for use by an individual;
 - a motion picture camera mounted in the housing, and providing a motion video signal as an output;
 - means, mounted in the housing, for converting the motion video signal into a sequence of digital still images;
 - a digital, computer-readable and writable random-access medium mounted in the housing and connected to receive and store the sequence of digital still images in a computer-readable file format;
 - ~~means for reading at least a portion of the sequence of digital still images to generate a motion video signal therefrom; and~~
 - a motion picture editing system within the housing for enabling the individual to specify ~~specifying~~ a sequence of segments of the sequence of digital still images stored on the digital, computer-readable and writable random-access medium; and
 - means for reading at least a portion of the sequence of digital still images stored on the digital, computer-readable and writable random-access medium to generate a motion video signal therefrom, according to the specified sequence of segments.

2-8. cancelled.

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9. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for digitally recording motion pictures, comprising:

a housing sized to be portable for use by an individual;

a motion picture camera mounted in the housing;

means, mounted in the housing, for providing a sequence of digital still images from the motion picture camera;

a digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium mounted in the housing and connected to receive and store the sequence of digital still images in a computer-readable file format; and

a processor mounted in the housing and executing computer program instructions comprising instructions which instruct the processor to, in response to user input:

receive and store the sequence of digital still images from the motion picture camera into the digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium in the computer-readable file format,

enable the individual to define a sequence of segments of at least the sequences of digital still images stored on the digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium, and

read and output at least a portion of the sequence of digital still images from the digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium according to the defined sequence of segments.

10-22. cancelled.

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23. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for digitally recording motion pictures, comprising:

a housing sized to be portable for use by an individual;

a motion picture camera mounted in the housing;

means, mounted in the housing, for providing a sequence of digital still images from the motion picture camera;

a digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium mounted in the housing and connected to receive and store the sequence of digital still images in a computer-readable file format; and

an editing system, mounted in the housing, for enabling the individual to define ~~defining~~ a sequence of segments of at least the sequences of digital still images stored on the digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium and for reading and outputting at least a portion of the sequence of digital still images from the digital computer-readable and writable random-access medium according to the defined sequence of segments.

24-44. cancelled.